

The Avalanche.

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POLITICAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

We will give the President's Message next week.

The number of saloons in Michigan decreased eighteen in the past year, according to the report of the United States Commissioner of Internal Revenue, notwithstanding the increase of population.

In the next congress the delegations from the following southern states will stand as follows: Virginia, dem. 4, rep. 6; West Virginia, dem. 2, rep. 2; North Carolina, dem. 4, rep. 4; labor republicans, 1. That the democratic party is on the wane is quite apparent.

The appointment of Dr. Dabney, who was one of the guards at Andersonville, where Union prisoners were shot down in cold blood and subjected to privations and tortures, to a position beyond conception, as a member of the Medical Board of Examiners at the Pension Department, to pass upon the claims of soldiers who escaped his deadly bullets, is not being received with great enthusiasm by veterans.

The AVALANCHE takes pleasure in commending to the public THE DETROIT TRIBUNE as one of the newest and best family papers published. The TRIBUNE under its new management has been enlarged and greatly improved, and at the low price of One Dollar a year for the weekly and \$3 a year for the daily cannot fail to greatly increase its circulation, which is already rapidly growing. THE TRIBUNE's offer to new subscribers of the weekly edition three months on trial for 25 cents is still open. It has resulted in adding many thousand names to their subscription list since the announcement was first made.

Washington's Unpublished Letters.

The third in the series of original engravings, which the *American Agriculturist* is presenting to its subscribers, appears with the December number. It is 18 by 25 inches in size, illustrating Mount Vernon, Washington's birthplace, farm, tomb, etc. Donald G. Mitchell (ik Marvel) writes the six-column description, which contains unpublished letters of Washington. Send six cents to publishers for sample proofs of the engravings and sample copy of the *American Agriculturist*. The next engraving in the series illustrates the early home, farm at Mentor, stock, etc., of President Garfield, together with description by a prominent writer.

The December Century.

There is hardly a reader of THE CENTURY that will not turn first of all to the "Life of Lincoln," so unique in its interest, have the graphically written opening chapters proved to be. From all parts of the country, and even from Europe, THE CENTURY has received innumerable evidences of the deep hold which this enterprise has already taken upon the reading world. The art paper of the number is the first of several articles on "Contemporary French Sculpture."

The latter half of Dr. Martin's "Old Chelsea" contains that in regard to the literary and historical associations of this part of London.

"The Food Question in America and Europe," is a vital and suggestive study, by Edward Atkinson, of a most practical subject, the vitalizing question as related to labor and wages; the comparison being greatly in favor of the United States.

A curious article is "A Little Millerite," by Mrs. Jane Marsh-Parker, being reminiscences of Millerism in 1843 and 1844, the time set for the end of the world. The writer conveys the impressions which the movement produced upon a child, the daughter of a convert.

The topic in the War Series is "The Second Day at Gettysburg," treated by Generals Henry J. Hunt and E. M. Law, the latter with special regard to "Round Top and the Confederate Right." The thoroughness by which this series is being carried through is perhaps no better exemplified than in the papers devoted to Gettysburg.

The number also contains two short stories by American writers: one a London society sketch, "An American Beauty," by Mrs. Poulton Bigelow, the other a tale of the Far West, entitled "A Cowboy," by a new writer, Miss Ellen Mackubin, and Mr. Howells' novel, "The Minister's Charge," comes to a conclusion.

Sonnets are contributed by Robert Burns Wilson and Henry Tyrell, "Songs of Christmas," by Louise Hendricksen, and "Brie-a-brac" verse by Maurice Perkins, Margaret Deland, Charlotte Fisk Bates and others.

In "Copies of the Time" are editorial articles "To our Readers," "The Eight-hour Working-day," and "Appropriations and the Vote."

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CRAWFORD CO. MICH.

ANNUAL SESSION, OCT. 15, '86.

(Continued from previous weeks)

Moved by Supervisor Newman, that the County Clerk be instructed to notify the County Treasurer to comply with Act No. 152, Chap. 31, Page 415 Howell's Annotated Statutes, in regard to weights and measures.

Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supervisor Hankinson, That each Supervisor nominate and appoint an agent to comply with Act No. 170, Session Laws of 1875, in regard to burial of soldiers, sailors, etc.

Whereupon the following appointments were made:

Ball township, Wm. Edwards, J. S. Crego, Blaine, W. O. Bradford, Center Plains, A. M. Odell, Frederic, C. W. Wright, Grayling, O. Palmer, Thos. Lound, Maple Forest, T. J. Fuller, South Branch, Wm. Downs.

Moved by Supervisor Wakeley, That the committee on county buildings be requested to inquire as to the feasibility of building a barn on the Court House grounds for the Sheriff's use, together with a place for the storage of cost of the same.

Amended by Supervisor Hankinson, That the said Building Committee cause to be built a horse barn to cost not to exceed \$175.00.

Motion as amended prevailed.

On motion of Supervisor Newman, the Board adjourned until 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

MORNING SESSION, OCT. 16.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. T. E. Hastings in the chair. Roll called. Quorum present.

The committee on apportionment submitted the following report which was upon motion of Supervisor Richardson, accepted and adopted.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Crawford County, Michigan: Your committee on apportionment to which was referred the apportionment of the State and County taxes, would most respectfully report as follows:

Township. State. County. Ball, \$ 63.47, \$ 171.50, Blaine, 68.82, 184.49, Beaver Creek, 155.05, 418.60, Center Plains, 124.84, 335.72, Frederic, 268.60, 725.10, Grove, 183.67, 495.90, Grayling, 780.88, 2,108.44, Maple Forest, 480.70, 1,297.82, South Branch, 78.64, 212.34.

F. L. HANKINSON, COM. A. E. NEWMAN, CON. PETER AEBLI.

Moved by Supervisor Newman, that the Sheriff be authorized to procure twenty cords of four foot hardwood, and that the clerk and chairman be instructed to draw orders for the amt.

Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supervisor Hankinson, that the taxable real estate of Crawford county be and the same is hereby equalized the same as at the June session 1886.

Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supervisor Newman, that the aggregate of the taxable real and personal property of the several townships of Crawford county, be and the same is hereby equalized the same as at the June session 1886.

Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supr. Richardson, that when the Board adjourns it shall be until the first Monday in January '87, and that the committee on settlement have full power and are instructed to complete the settlement with the County Treasurer, and report to said adjourned session.

The eyes and nays being called resulted in the adoption of the motion as will more fully appear by the following vote:

Supervisors Wilson, Aebli, Richardson, Hankinson, Newman and Hastings voted aye, and Supervisors Jackson, High and Wakeley voted nay.

Moved by Supervisor Newman, that the Supervisor of Maple Forest be authorized to spread the sum of \$34.82 (rejected taxes) on the assessment roll for said township for the year 1886.

Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supervisor Richardson, that the Supr. of South Branch be authorized to change the name of ownership, and from the resident column to the non-resident column, on the E 1/2 of N 1/2 of Sec. 30, Town 25, N R 2 West.

Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supervisor Hankinson, that the Supervisor of Frederic be authorized to spread the sum of \$175.00 (rejected taxes) on the assessment roll of said township for the year 1886.

Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supervisor Wakeley, that the Supervisor of Grave be authorized to spread the sum of \$36.40, (rejected tax) on the assessment roll of said township for the year 1886.

Motion prevailed.

F. L. Hankinson, \$ 19.36, A. C. Wilson, 15.96, I. H. Richardson, 20.52, T. G. High, 19.08, Peter Aebli, 21.48, Chas. M. Jackson, 19.42, Thos. Wakeley, 19.42, T. E. Hastings, 19.42, A. E. Newman, 18.06. Minutes of to day's session read and approved.

Moved by Supervisor Richardson, that we adjourn until the first Monday in January 1887.

Motion prevailed.

T. E. HASTINGS, CHAIRMAN. O. J. BROWN, CLERK.

A STARTLING FACT. It is not commonly known that a large proportion of the rheumatism and neuralgia extant is traceable directly to the diseased condition or imperfect action of the kidneys and liver, therefore a remedy which cures the resulting disease must have found and smitten the first cause.

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Short Articles, instructive and entertaining, will abound. Among these are: "How a Great Pantheon is Made," by Theodore R. Davis, with promise illustrations; "Winning a Commission" (Naval Academy), and "Recollections of the Naval Academy," by "Boeing for Oil" and "Among the Gas-wells," with a number of striking pictures; "Child Sketches from George Eliot," by Julia Marguerite; "Victor Hugo's Tales to his Grandchildren," recounted by Brander Matthews; also interesting contributions from Nora Terry, Harriet Prescott Spofford, Joaquin Miller, H. T. Haysen, Washington Gladden, Alice Wellington Lloyd, J. B. Townsend, Lieutenant Frederick Schwatka, Noah Brooks, Grace Denio Littlefield, Rose Hawthorne Lathrop, Mrs. S. M. B. Platt, Mary Mapes Dodge, and many others, etc., etc.

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Notice for Publication. LAND OFFICE, REED CITY, MICH., Nov. 27th, 1886.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his claim to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Crawford County, at Kalbaska, Mich., on January 21st, 1887, viz: Oscar L. Findings, homestead No. 823, for the S 1/2 of N 1/2 & S W 1/4 of S W 1/4, Sec. 22, T. 2 S., R. 2 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Melvin E. Hagerman, James Quance of Wellington P. O.; Josiah Miller and John C. Clark of Homestead Entry No. 823, for the S 1/2 of N 1/2 & S W 1/4 of S W 1/4, Sec. 22, in the S 1/2 of N 1/2 & S W 1/4 of S W 1/4, Sec. 22, T. 2 S., R. 2 W.

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(Continued Weekly.)

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Straw, per ton, 10 cents.
Rye feed, No. 1, per ton, 21 cents.
Horn, per ton, 10 cents.
May flour, roller patent, per barrel, 5.50.
Shut flour, roller patent, per barrel, 5.50.
Process, per barrel, 5.50.
Eckel's flour, per barrel, 4.00.
Black-wheat flour, per barrel, 5.50.
Extra No. 1, per barrel, 5.50.
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Nice Cap Honey at Firms.

For Job Work of all kinds call at the

AVANCEMENT office.

Go to Finn's for your Groceries.

For a first class pair of Boots or

Shoes, go to McDonald's.

For Perfumery from 5 cents to \$2.00

per bottle, go to James.

Maple Syrup for your cakes, at J. M.

Finn's.

L. Fournier made a flying visit to

Bay City and Detroit, last Friday, re-

turning Tuesday morning.

A new stock of Dry Goods just re-

ceived at Finn's.

For Albums, either Scrap or Picture,

go to James.

Lumbermen! McDonald's is the

place to get a pair of River Boots, sec-

ond to none in the country.

The Literary Society connected with

the public school proposes to give an

entertainment in the near future.

Try Finn's Golden Syrup, the best

in town.

Ladies and Gents' cork sole Boots

and Shoes, made to order, at McDonald's.

If you want anything in the line of

Hats and Caps, go to the store of Salling,

Hanson & Co.

Mrs. F. L. Barker of Frederic, was

in Grayling last Tuesday and made us

a short call.

Fred Loranger, of Bay City, had

charge of the City Book and Drug

Store during Mr. Fournier's absence.

Go to Finn's for your Confectionery.

He has the largest stock and best as-

sortment in Northern Michigan.

If there is anything you want, no

matter what, go to the store of Salling,

Hanson & Co.

For extracts of all kinds and of a

superior quality, go to James.

Mrs. F. L. Hankinson, commenced

teaching school in District No. 2, Gray-

ling township, last Monday morning.

Don't forget that you can save

money by buying your Drugs at J. M.

Finn's.

Rev. Edwards is recovering from his

attack of tonsillitis, and was able to

be on the street last Tuesday.

Salling, Hanson & Co. are giving a

present to every purchaser of New Era

Baking Powder. Try it!

A. C. Babbitt has returned from the

Government Fish Hatchery where he

has been at work.

For good cider, by the quart or gal-

lon, call on J. L. Wild of the Grayling

House. It is good for we have sam-

pled it.

Plenty of help employed at Mc-

Donald's. No waiting. Leave your

order and you will get a good fit every

time.

Rev. J. H. Phelps preached in the

M. E. Church on last Sabbath morn-

ing and at the hall in the afternoon.

You can purchase anything in the

line of Boots and Shoes, for men, wo-

men and children, at the general store

of Salling, Hanson & Co.

Salling, Hanson & Co. have received

a large supply of Ladies high-buttoned

cloth overshoes, which they are selling

at \$2.00. Just the thing for this sec-

tion.

Subscriptions received at this office

for all the leading magazines published

in this country. Subscribers to the

AVANCEMENT will be furnished with

any paper or magazine at reduced

rates.

Salling, Hanson & Co. have a large

stock of Ladies' Skirts, Hoods and

Children's Leggings which will be sold

at reduced rates.

W. H. James has just received the

finest display of holiday goods ever

brought to Grayling. Call and see

them.

The finest line of rubber goods ever

brought to Grayling, consisting of

Boots, Rubbers and Overshoes can be

found at the Mammoth Store of Sal-

ling, Hanson & Co.

SHILOH'S VITALIZER is what you need for

Consumption, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness and all

symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 cents

per bottle.

CHICKEN WHOOPING COUGH and Bronchitis

SHILOH'S VITALIZER is what you need for

Consumption, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness and all

symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 cents

per bottle.

GRAND opening of Confectionery

every day in the week, at James', from

now until Christmas. Go often and

early and see the display.

Rev. E. W. Wheeler filled the pul-

pit at the M. E. Church last Sabbath

evening. Rev. Edward being confined

to the house on account of a severe

attack of cold.

School children can save money by

buying their Tablets at Finn's. He

has a large stock that he is selling

cheap.

P. J. Bryan, of Owosso, was in

Grayling last week, looking after the

interests of the Buckeye Reaper and

Mower Co. of Springfield, Ohio.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by that

terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for

you.

CATARH CURED, health and sweet breath

restored, by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50

cents. Nasal Infection free. For sale by N. H. Tru-

er.

A social dance will be given at the

Opera House, in Grayling, on Friday

Evening, December 24th 1886. Good

music and callers will be furnished.

W. H. James will have a grand holi-

day display of Christmas goods all

through this month. Call and see

them before purchasing elsewhere.

If you wish to smoke a good article

of Tobacco, call at Salling, Hanson &

Co's general store and examine their

40 cent tobacco, before purchasing

elsewhere.

Marvin Post No. 240, G. A. R. will

meet in regular encampment Satur-

day evening, Dec. 11th 1886. A gen-

eral attendance is desired as officers

for the ensuing year are to be elected

as well as the transaction of other

business of importance.

If you wish to purchase a Christmas

present for any of your friends that

will be more than acceptable, call and

get one of those Lustre Hand Tea Sets

at James'.

For lame back, side, or chest, use Shiloh's

Pain Expeller. Price 50 cents.

SHILOH'S COUGH and Consumption Cure is

sold by us on a guarantee. It cures Consump-

tion. For sale by N. H. Tru-

er.

G. H. Bonnell has his Photograph

Gallery completed and will open it

next Saturday for business. All who

Ed. Warner, taxidermist, received a

fine specimen of a white owl this week

from Grayling, to be mounted for par-

ties there.—Owosso Co. News.

Mrs. F. A. Baldwin went to Fred-

erick Wednesday morning, her mother,

Mrs. Osband, being quite ill.—Owosso

Co. News.

The Dickens Club, of Grayling, met

at the residence of G. H. Hicks, on last

Friday evening. We know nothing as

to their proceedings, but suppose they

were emulating Mr. Micawber. But

what has become of its twin, the

Shakespeare club?

A lady on last Monday purchased a

pound of butter of W. H. James for

supper, and then came back and pur-

chased eight pounds more, the same

evening. This proves that W. H.

James keeps the best in the market

and if you once buy of him you will

soon return to make further purchas-

es.

THE SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN, pub-

lished by Munn & Co., New York, pre-

sents weekly to its readers the best and

most reliable record of various

improvements in machinery, while the

scientific progress of the country can

in no way be gleaned so well as by the

regular perusal of its pages.

Daniel Duvall, of Beaver Creek

Township, went to Rosebush last

Monday week, in company with sev-

eral friends. After indulging in tail-

foot they started home, and owing

to an accident to their wagon, Duvall

went ahead on foot, when he got lost,

laid down in the snow and when found

in the morning was frozen to death.

MARRIED.—On Thanksgiving Eve,

by Rev. T. Edwards, of Grayling, at

the residence of Mr. Phillip Gordon,

at Frederic, Miss Alice Gordon and

Mr. Kirkpatrick, Mich. Central

agent at Wolverine.

A very pleasant gathering of friends

witnessed the ceremony, after which

the happy couple took the train for

their Northern home.

Mike Conway, brakeman on the M-

C. Railroad, came near slipping his

cable by walking off the end of a freight

car while moving, at Freedom Station,

last Monday. He fell across the draw-

bar which prevented him from falling

under the wheels. The steam from

the locomotive hindered him from see-

ing where he was going.

Everybody interested in the agricul-

tural development of Crawford coun-

ty will be pleased to know that the

first Farmers' Institute of the season

will be held at this place, Jan. 31st

and Feb. 1st. Dr. K

